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New U.S. Patent Application
Title: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 50 pages, including 3 independent claims and 20 claims total.
2. Drawings- 10 sheets of formal drawings containing 19 figures. (Figures 1A-10G).
3. Certified copy of Japanese Application No. 2003-010133, filed January 17, 2003.

4. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with 1 document attached.
5. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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Total Claims	20	-	20		x \$18	
Independent Claims	3	-	3		x \$86	
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Applicants claim the right to priority based on Japanese Application No. 2003-010133, filed January 17, 2003.

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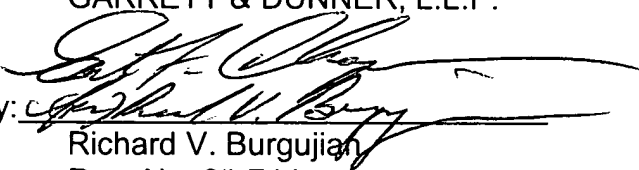
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